

Certified Infection Prevention Specialty Professional (CIPSP)

Approved for Continuing Education Credit

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HIMSS Certification:

This program is approved for up to 9 continuing education (CE) hours for use in fulfilling the continuing education requirements of the Certified Professional in Healthcare Information & Management Systems (CPHIMS) and the Certified Associate in Healthcare Information & Management Systems (CAHIMS).

For **CAHIMS**, you are required to obtain 45 CEs during your renewal cycle.

- A minimum of 25 of the 45 CEs must be obtained from HIMSS or HIMSS-Approved Provider activities.

For **CPHIMS**, you are required to obtain 45 CEs during your renewal cycle.

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To submit the Non-HIMSS Continuing Education Units to become CHCIO eligible or to maintain/renew your CAHIMS or CPHIMS eligible status, [CLICK HERE](#) to access further information on **HIMSS Professional Certification in Healthcare Information and Management Systems (CAHIMS, CPHIMS, and CPHIMS-CA) Renewal Requirements and Application**

Objectives:

Upon successfully completing this course, students will be able to:

- Describe the general OSHA obligations of healthcare employers and employees
- Explain OSHA requirements to adhere to scientifically accepted principles of infection control
- Describe how pathogens are spread and outline prevention strategies
- Demonstrate Blood-Borne Pathogens (BBP) safety best practices for healthcare
- Implement best practices to prevent needlestick and sharps injuries to providers and patients
- Describe the proper use of engineering and work process controls
- Demonstrate the proper use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) in a healthcare environment
- Describe regulatory requirements and proper methods for cleaning, disinfection, and sterilization
- Explain regulations and best practices related to prevention and control of infectious disease
- Describe the history of tuberculosis in the United States
- Describe how tuberculosis is transmitted and best practices for preventing transmission

Planning & Instructional Personnel Disclosures:

All planners and instructors have completed a Biographical Data and Conflict of Interest form and have no conflicts of interest to disclose.